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SUBJECT: S&T AGREEMENT: VISAS (01.00-01)

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1. DURING A MEETING WITH AYKAZYAN AND METAL'NIKOV, SCICOUNS EXPRESSED US REGRETS FOR DELAY IN ISSUANCE OF GLEBOV VISA. HE POINTED OUT THAT AMERICAN SIDE PLEASED THAT TRIP TOOK PLACE WITH ONLY SLIGHT DELAY. IN CONNECTION WITH THE CASE HE RECALLED AYKAZYAN'S STATEMENT THAT SOVIETS HAVE NOT REFUSED VISA TO ANY MEMBERS OF US DELEGATION UNDER S&T AGREEMENT AND BROUGHT OUT CASE OF JOHN TURKEVICH WHO WAS NOT ABLE TO TRAVEL TO ALMA-ATA IN MARCH 1975 TO CARRY OUT FUNCTION UNDER PROJECT OF CHEMICAL CATALYSIS WORKING GROUP.

2. AYKAZYAN STATED THAT HE WAS SURPRISED AND UNAWARE OF CASE. HE SAID THAT HE WILL TAKE UP CASE WITH ACADEMY OF SCIENCES. HE ALSO EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT SITUATION COULD BE RECTIFIED AND TURKEVICH ENABLED TO VISIT ALMA-ATA NEXT TIME HE COMES TO USSR.

3. SCICOUNS INFORMED AYKAZYAN THAT HE WAS TOLD BY JOHN TURKEVICH IN NOVEMBER THAT HE PLANS TO VISIT ACADEMICIAN BORESKOV IN NOVOSIBIRSK EARLY THIS YEAR. AYKAZYAN SUGGESTED THAT, IF TURKEVICH HAS NOT DONE SO YET, HE SHOULD WRITE TO BORESKOV DIRECTLY AND REQUEST ALMA-ATA VISIT AT THAT TIME.

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